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If you have comments let me know. Thanks

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FOLLOW-UP OF THE LILA CANYON MINE PROJECT MEETING

July 27, 2006

ATTENDEES:

Jerriann Ernstsens (DOGM), Everett Bassett (DOGM archeology consultant), Foster Kirby (OSM), Matt Seddon (USHPO), Lori Hunsaker (PLPCO)

SUMMARY:

State agencies (DOGM, SHPO, PLPCO) and OSM developed a strategy of the steps that DOGM would take to request that UEI provides a supplemental, archeological evaluation.

TODAY:

These agencies briefly discussed the concerns, listed below, of the June 21, 2006 archeological evaluation.

- ❖ The survey was designed to evaluate areas predicted to have a high probability of containing rockshelters.
- ❖ The survey was designed to exclude areas that were previously surveyed in 1981 (25 yrs ago). The survey did not include current recordings for these excluded areas.
- ❖ The survey included a recommendation that subsidence would have "no effect" to rockshelters. This recommendation cannot be extrapolated to other types of archeological resources that could be impacted by cracking.
- ❖ UEI showed that there were no rockshelters or granaries. The submittal, therefore, did not include mitigation recommendations for other types of archeological resources (if present) that subsidence may impact.

PROPOSED ACTION ITEMS:

1. Everett will overlay his previously prepared survey design with Montgomery's survey design (Montgomery, June 2006, Figure 1). Everett will:
 - a. Estimate the amount of area that does not overlap between the two designs
 - b. Prepare sampling design recommendations for the supplemental survey
 - c. Estimate the amount of time needed to conduct the proposed supplemental survey
2. Everett will submit the supplemental survey proposal to DOGM and SHPO
3. DOGM will provide the supplemental survey proposal to SUWA for comments
4. DOGM will provide the supplemental survey proposal to UEI
5. DOGM will prepare a PA

NOTES:

- ❖ DOGM will not provide the proposal to the tribes. DOGM will wait until the reports are finalized and approved for further consultations with the tribes.